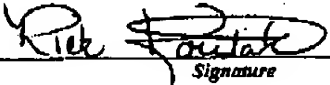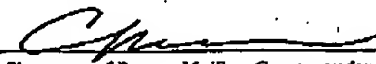| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)	Docket No. BUR920000201US2

In Re Application Of: **Jerry D. Hayes**

Serial No. 09/683,546	Filing Date 01/16/2002	Examiner Thompson, Annette M.	Group Art Unit 2825

Invention: **A CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR MODELING I/O**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of _____08/14/2003_____above-identified application.
                              Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month   ☒ Two months   ☐ Three months   ☐ Four months   ☐ Five months

from: _____11/14/2003_____   until: _____01/14/2004_____
         Date   *Date*

Th fee for the extension of time is   **$420**   and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.   09-0456

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 09-0456

Dated: 1/14/04

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Signature

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 01/14/2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first-class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. FAX# 703-872-9306.

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